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REMARKS IN RESPONSE TO ADVISORY ACTION

The Examiner noted in the Advisory Action mailed April 13, 2005, that the amendment of the claims to include "electrodes", "consists essentially of" and "electroluminescent" constitutes new matter. Applicants respectfully dispute the Examiner's assertion that the amendment filed March 24, 2005, introduces new matter. Support for the addition of "electrodes" may be found on page 8, lines 4-11. Support for describing the getter layer as consisting essentially of an alkaline earth metal, aluminum, tantalum or zirconium may be found at page 10, lines 19-25, page 11, lines 1-20 and the paragraph added to the specification with the response of March 24, 2005. Support for "electroluminescent" may be found at page 6, lines 22-25 and page 7, lines 1-10.

Applicant asks that the amendments made in the response of March 24, 2005, be entered and all claims be examined in view of the amendments to the claims.

No fee is believed to be due. Please apply any applicable other charges or credits to deposit account 06-1050.

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